GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS
LOK SABHA

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MARKETING OF RETAIL OUTLETS BY ONGC
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Will the Minister of PETROLEUM AND NATURAL GAS be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government have since approved the proposal of ONGC for the retail marketing of petrol and diesel in the country; and

(b) if so, the details thereof and the time by which the ONGC is likely to commence the retail marketing of petrol and diesel ?

Answer

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(a) & (b) : Government have granted authorisation to market transportation fuels to Oil and Natural Gas Corporation Limited (ONGC). In the first phase of 3 years, ONGC has the plan to set up 600 Retail Outlets primarily irthe three States of Andhra Pradesh, Gujarat and Maharashtra.